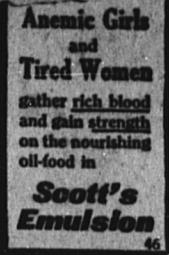




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BECKHAM WINS FOR U. S. SENATOR.

Plurality is Not Large, but Apparently Safe.—Willson His Probable Opponent.

In the State primary last Saturday, Ex-Gov. J. C. W. Beckham was nominated for United States Senator, full term. His plurality over Stanley is somewhere between 2000 and 3000 votes, according to the latest figures. Stanley has not yet conceded Beckham's victory.

Senator Camden won for the short term by the enormous majority of 50,000 or more.

The race between Augustus E. Willson and Richard Ernst for the Republican nomination for the long term is very close, but Willson seems to have won.

Marshall Bullitt, of Louisville, wins over Henry Fitzpatrick for the short term Republican nomination.

The vote cast in the State was a little less than 60 per cent of the Democrats and a smaller per cent of the Republicans.

Fields Wins for Congress.

Congressman W. J. Fields carried every county in the Ninth district. His majority is about 12,000.

Campbell Cantrell defeated Claude Thomas for Congress in the Lexington district by 6,000.

Judge Hobson, of the Court of Appeals, was defeated for re-nomination.

Caleb Powers won out again in the 11th district.

GER LOUISIAN DIED IN IRONTON.

Thursday evening, July 30th, Bussey, a native of this city, died in Ironton, O. His home was union, 12 miles from Ironton, but superintendent of the Ironton Central Plant he was occupying a small office near his work while his family, consisting of his wife and two children, resided at home.

out 8 o'clock p. m. on the day he died in the cottage belonging to a neighbor the working of a coal stove, when, without warning, he fell from his chair, dead. His wife here were immediately informed by telegraph of the sad occurrence and his brothers, Dr. J. C. Bussey of Louisville, and Mont Bussey, of Seville, left as soon as possible to Ohio. His niece, Mrs. M. S. Burns, in his place, and a nephew, Dr. Joe, of Busseyville, followed later all remained until after the burial which occurred on Sunday. The deceased was 68 years old and leaves a widow and two grown children.

Mr. Bussey had been in failing health for some time, and since he had suffered the loss of hand by accident. He was a carpenter by trade and was a fine mechanic. He was sober and industrious, good husband and father and a highly respected citizen and neighbor.

INCREASE OF PELLAGRA.

Reports from health officers in widely scattered sections of the State indicate a large increase in the number of cases of Pellagra. The State Board of Health, at the suggestion of a large number of local health officials, has called a second conference for the study of Pellagra, together with a conference of county and city health officers at Pineville, Ky., for August 18, and 19th. During this conference the laws enacted at the recent session of the Legislature for prevention of the disease will also be discussed and steps will be taken looking to making them effective. Hundreds of physicians from all parts of the South will be present at the meeting.

NOT PUBLIC.

It may be well to remember that Mountain Park is not public property, and those who use it for picnics or other purposes should be regardful of the rights of others. Damage has been done to growing crops because of carelessness in the matter of shutting gates.

TWO KILLED IN MINES.

Ben Harrison and Elzie Litteral, sons of Lem Litteral, were killed in the Mary Luck Coal Company's mines at Auxier Monday afternoon. They were killed by a premature blast.

SOW TURNIPS.

Plan to sow a good patch of turnips. Scarcity of potatoes will create a heavier demand for them. Sow a patch big enough for home consumption and have plenty for market.

Miss Sallie Chafin, who had been visiting her sister, Mrs. J. B. McClure, has gone to Portsmouth to visit relatives in that city. She was accompanied by her niece, Miss Goodwill McClure, and will remain about two weeks.

On last Sunday evening No. 38 stopped in Louisa long enough to allow Dr. and Mrs. G. C. Howard, of Prestonsburg, a few minutes' chat with friends who met them at the train. The Howards were on their way from Olympia Springs to their home in Prestonsburg.

Jim Norton Friday returned from Little Falls, N. Y., where he had been with the Richmond Contract Co.

CITY COUNCIL CHANGES CORPORATE LINES.

The City Council met in regular session Tuesday evening, with all present but H. G. Wellman. There was but little done except to take the preliminary steps to somewhat change the corporate limits of the town. The proposed change is to put a part of the James Q. Lackey residence property outside the city limits. This is to enable Mr. Lackey to sell to the executors of the will of the late Rev. Robert Callahan a part of the property for school purposes. It will be remembered that Mr. Callahan left \$20,000 which was to be devoted to the building of a denominational school which was to be erected somewhere between Louisa and Ashland, but not within the corporate limits of either city. It is said that a deal is about to be consummated whereby the administrators of Mr. Callahan will obtain possession of as much of the Lackey farm as they will need, hence the action of the Council Tuesdays night.

AGED WOMAN BADLY INJURED.

On Tuesday, July 28th, Mrs. Deanna Travis, who lives on Brushy Fork, in the Wilbur neighborhood, fell and broke her hip. Owing to advanced age, 80 years, her recovery will be very slow. She is the widow of Green Travis and a sister of former jailer Al Hayes.

THE DEATH SUMMONS FOR JAS. W. SHANNON.

Prominent Citizen Dies After An Illness of Several Months.

DESTRUCTIVE FIRE ON LICK CREEK.

About 3 o'clock on Wednesday morning the building on Lick Creek used as a barn by the brothers Andy and Fred See was discovered to be on fire. The flames had already made much headway, and before they could be saved a span of fine horses, ton of hay and nearly \$100 worth of other feed, harness, etc., were entirely consumed. The entire loss amounts to several hundred dollars, and falls very heavily on two worthy young men.

The barn was located about three miles from Louisa, near a sawmill on the Billie Layne tract of timber. The timber had been bought by the Diamond brothers, and they had engaged the Sees to haul the logs to the mill. There was no fire about the barn, and the origin of the burning is a mystery. Some of the logging outfit slept not far from the barn, and one of the men, who was up and out an hour or so before the flames were discovered saw one around. It is believed that the fire disaster was the work of tramps. The horses lost were known as the Bob Akers grays, large, splendid animals.

KENTUCKY SCHOOL FOR BLIND WANTS PUPILS.

Agents from the Kentucky School for Blind Children are seeking pupils who would appreciate an education. The State furnishes everything, even paying the railroad fare upon an order from the County Judge. The work done in the school is marvelous. If the children only have the mental capacity they are taught almost everything that can be learned, including manual training, music and domestic science.

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MCREARY CHEERFUL ALTHOUGH DEFEATED.

Frankfort, Ky., Aug. 3.—Gov. McCreary returned to Frankfort yesterday, feeling fine and without any sore spots. He is eager to congratulate the nominee for United States Senator as soon as he learns definitely who is the lucky man.

That his majorities promised him in the big cities were switched to Congressman Stanley the day before the election there can be no doubt. He will take the stump for the candidate, he said last night, and thinks the Democrats will win in the November election.

Governor McCreary said:

"My friends two days before the primary election informed me I would have large majorities in Louisville, Covington, Newport, Lexington and other cities, but the day before the election the lines were drawn close between Stanley and Beckham on certain issues, especially on the temperance question, and my majorities were transferred.

"There were a number of counties where the same work was done. I have no animosity to any person and I am thankful to my Democratic friends and supporters for the thousands of votes cast for me. I am especially grateful that my home county, Madison, gave me a thousand majority over both of my opponents.

"I expect to return to Richmond when my term as Governor expires. I will congratulate the candidate for United States Senator, long term, as soon as I ascertain certainly who has been nominated, and I will stand ready to vote for the nominee and make speeches in his favor before the November election."

ROB. DIXON TAKES CHARGE OF LOUISA POSTOFFICE.

On Saturday, August 1st, the Louisa postoffice passed from the charge of A. M. Hughes to that of Robert Dixon, the appointee of President Wilson. The confirmation of Mr. Dixon by the Senate was noted in last week's issue of this paper, with deserved commendation of the new postmaster. The affairs of the office are being conducted in the proper manner and the incumbent will no doubt give entire satisfaction to all concerned.

It is the consensus of opinion, voiced by all who are served at the Louisa postoffice, Democrats and Republicans alike, that this city never had a better postmaster than A. M. Hughes. During an incumbency of more than twelve years no word of complaint was ever uttered against him. He has been strictly "onto his job," prompt and efficient. He has been uniformly courteous and obliging, answering the many and often useless questions asked a postmaster politely and cheerfully. He has handled the numerous mails rapidly and correctly, doing the growing business of the office to the entire satisfaction of the public and the department.

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LAWRENCE COUNTY FOR GOV. MCCREARY.

Democrats Show Loyalty to Their Friend and Benefactor.

The Democrats of Lawrence county, by a vote practically equal to the number cast for both of his opponents, stood loyally by Gov. McCreary in the primary last Saturday. This record is not equalled in any other county in the State except Madison, the home of Gov. McCreary. There he received all the votes, a tribute of which he may well be proud.

In Lawrence county Beckham carried two precincts out of 19, one of these by one vote. Stanley carried one precinct by 3 votes. McCreary carried 16 precincts.

THE PRESIDENT'S WIFE DYING.

The wife of President Wilson is hopelessly ill. The announcement is a shock to the country, as the facts about her condition have been kept from the public. She is said to have Bright's disease with complications, and her death is a matter of a few days, if not a few hours.

President Wilson is constantly at her bedside, but the many grave matters arising from the war in Europe force him to give attention to the affairs of the nation even in these trying hours.

The country deeply sympathizes with him in his struggles, which he is meeting with all the fortitude possible.

REPUBLICANS.

Senator, long term, Willson 180, Ernst 214, McLaughlin 16.

Senator, short term, Fitzpatrick 218, Bullitt 176.

Congress, Osborn 172, Ireland 225.

The Progressive vote for Senator was 4 for Jolly and 6 for Vance.

FLOOD OF HOT WATER DAMAGES STATE CAPITOL.

Steam pressure burst an overflow tank in the corner of the State Capitol on the fourth floor over the Lieutenant Governor's private office Saturday and flooded the Lieutenant Governor's room, the corridor adjoining the Senate chamber and the Secretary of State's office on the second floor.

The building was almost deserted,

but the sound of rushing water attracted the attention of Oscar Bozman, private secretary to Governor McCreary, and Henry Ware, of the Auditor's office, who rushed up the stairs and discovered the leak. They telephoned the power house, and had the water turned off, then assembled a squad of men to bail the water and mop the floors. Buckets and tubs were set around in the two rooms of the Secretary of State, and the water was still dripping through Sunday night. It stained the ceiling in the Confederate Pension Department on the first floor, but did not run through.

How serious the damage will be to the hardwood floor, carpets, mahogany furniture and ceilings will be only time will tell. The water was boiling hot.

The tank burst with such force that a piece smashed a hole in the tiled ceiling above it.

DEFINES POWERS OF COUNTY JUDGE.

Frankfort, Ky., July 29.—The act of

1914, giving County Judges jurisdiction to try all misdemeanor cases is causing the County Courts great concern over technicalities involved, and writs of habeas corpus are being asked for in numerous instances.

Assistant Attorney General M. M. Logan, replying to the inquiry of Henry Jackson, of Danville, gave it as his opinion that County Judges have jurisdiction over misdemeanors committed before the act went into effect; that in common law offenses the County Judge has jurisdiction when the offender has been indicted and is in jail in default of bail, and in such cases his jurisdiction is unlimited. In statutory misdemeanors the offender may be prosecuted by warrant and the extent of the punishment that he may inflict is limited only by statute.

Mr. Logan calls attention to the possible unconstitutionality of the act, which excepts counties having Circuit Courts of continuous jurisdiction, while the Constitution provides that the jurisdiction of County Courts shall be uniform throughout the State. He declines, however, to express an opinion, as it is a matter for the courts to determine.

Nervous
Emotional
Dizzy
Depressed ?

Mrs. Addie Cartinger of Cedar St., Cairo, Ill., writes Dr. R. V. Pierce as follows:
"I send 31 cents for Dr. R. V. Pierce's 'Common Sense Advice' for my daughter who has recently married and I know the book will be of much value to her. I have read and used for 25 years Dr. Pierce's 'Medical Adviser' and have taken many bottles of Dr. Pierce's Favorite Prescription, and have been recommended to it by many. It is a great remedy for women as a strength builder, fine for the nerves and general health."

WOMEN who are restless, with constant change of position, "fidgetiness," who are abnormally excitable or who experience fainting or dizzy spells, or nervous headache and wakefulness are usually sufferers from the weaknesses of their sex.

DR. PIERCE'S Favorite Prescription

is the soothing, cordial and womanly tonic that brings about an invigorating calm to the nervous system. Overcomes the weakness and the dragging pains which resemble the pains of rheumatism. Thousands of women in the past forty years can bear witness to its benefits.

Your dealer in medicines sells it in liquid or sugar-coated tablet form; or you can send 50 one-cent stamps for a trial box of Dr. Pierce's Favorite Prescription tablets. Address Dr. R. V. Pierce, Invalids' Hotel and Surgical Institute, Buffalo, N.Y.

Dr. Pierce's Pleasant Pellets Regulate and Invigorate Stomach, Liver and Bowels, Sugar-Coated Tin Granules.

NEWS OF GENERAL INTEREST FROM THE WORLD AT LARGE.

THURSDAY.

Whether or not all Europe shall become involved in the Austro-Serbian conflict depends upon the action of Russia and every indication there points to war. The mobilization of troops continues, and the attitude in that country is that nothing can make it swerve from the determination to aid Serbia. Hostilities between Austria and Serbia began definitely yesterday when the Austrian troops bombarded the old capital, Belgrade, from across the River Save, and the Servians in turn destroyed the Selim bridge to prevent further attack. All the European nations are going forward with military preparations so as to be ready for eventualities.

President Wilson told a delegation of business men yesterday that the Government is not "running amuck" and that he hopes with the completion of the anti-trust programme in the next few weeks, a new era of honest prosperity may be inaugurated.

Attorney General McReynolds will soon be nominated to the Supreme Court, according to well-founded Washington advices. T. W. Gregory, of Texas, is prominently mentioned for succession to the Attorney Generalship.

President Wilson has decided not to oppose the renomination or re-election of Democratic members of Congress who have supported the party policies, regardless of local or State affiliations.

Gen. Carranza has sent word to the Washington junta of the Constitutionalists that the unconditional surrender of Carrizal will solve the situation in Mexico.

Louisville is to get \$1,300,000 and Lexington \$300,000 of the crop loan fund assigned to Kentucky, according to tentative plans of the Treasury Department.

An injunction has been granted by the Federal Court in a suit recently brought in West Virginia to test the "Blue Sky" law of that State.

The first ocean-going vessel to traverse the Panama Canal will be the Cristobal which is to go from Colon to Balboa next Monday.

Four stages in Yellowstone Park were held up yesterday by two highwaymen and \$3,000 was obtained from the passengers.

Congress will adjourn late in August. Assurances to this effect have been obtained from Democratic leaders.

FRIDAY.

Representatives of the Ohio Home Rule Association filed with the Secretary of State at Columbus petitions for the submission of a proposed constitutional amendment which would prevent State prohibition of the liquor traffic by statutory means.

With the announcement of Paul M. Warburg that he would appear to answer questions before the Senate Banking Committee, President Wilson is looking over the field for a man to fill out the Reserve Board.

The "wet" and "dry" forces yesterday filed petitions for a local option election in Lexington September 28. The argument on the cases will be heard by Judge Bullock next Tuesday.

James and Andrew Williams, farmers in Oklahoma, were arrested by United States officers on a charge of having negro boys shipped to them whom they held in peonage.

President Wilson intends to appoint a successor to the late Justice Lurton, of the Supreme Court, before the present session of Congress adjourns.

More than 3,000 persons were drowned and \$4,000,000 worth of property was destroyed by floods in the province of Kwang Tung, China.

Representative Ben Johnson said a prominent financier in Washington told him a fund was being raised to work against his re-election.

Advices from every quarter to the Washington Government showed a trend toward the restoration of tranquility throughout Mexico.

President Wilson is considering the question of touring several States during the coming campaign.

SATURDAY.

President Wilson took steps to bring about the immediate completion of the Federal Reserve Board, and made other preparations to assure the country against any threatening financial dangers growing out of the European war situation.

All American ambassadors and ministers abroad are to be kept closely at their posts, in order to give prompt information on the general situation and on Americans killed, injured or in distress in the affected countries.

Trans-Atlantic service of passenger and freight steamships with sailings between American and German ports has been practically suspended indefinitely, owing to the situation abroad.

Constitutionalist leaders at Tam-pico predict there will be no peace conference between the delegates of Carrizal and Carranza, and declare that they will not recognize any agreement made should such a conference be held, but will insist that the revolution be settled by fighting.

During the first nine months of its operation, the Underwood tariff law

yielded somewhat less revenue than the Payne law, slightly more than the Dingley law and one and a half times as much as the McKinley and Wilson laws.

Four persons were killed when the automobile in which they were riding was struck by a Bessemer & Lake Erie railroad passenger train at Renfrew, Pa.

Dr. Charles H. Mayo, of Rochester, Minn., was elected president of the Clinical Congress of Surgeons of North America, in session in London.

SUNDAY.

The first shots in the Russo-German war were exchanged between patrols late yesterday near Prostken, south of Koningsberg. Late last night placards were posted in Paris calling for general mobilization, and actual war between Germany and France is expected to follow soon, it is stated. The ultimatum of war against Russia by Germany earlier in the day was quickly followed by the departure from St. Petersburg of the Berlin Ambassador and his staff. The declaration of war electrified the Russian capital, and wild street scenes ensued. England, though declaring she is under no formal obligation to aid France, is making preparations for any event. The United States has been asked by Germany, Great Britain and France to take charge of their embassies in the war zone, and has accepted.

Active measures are to be taken by President Wilson and Secretary Bryan to aid Americans in distress abroad. The Government is considering a plan to send army transports to carry over gold and bring back United States citizens wishing to come.

It is expected that an amendment to the Panama act will be passed at once, making it possible for foreign-built shipping to obtain American registry to the end that a threatened paralysis of this country's export trade, due to the European crisis, may be avoided.

The New York Stock Exchange remained closed Saturday, and the indications are that it will not reopen until some of the other large centers resume business. Gold shipments abroad continue.

Foreign steamship lines sailing the Pacific have ordered their vessels to make neutral ports as soon as possible.

A comparatively light vote seems to have been cast in Kentucky Saturday in the senatorial and congressional primary. Returns are incomplete and indicate a close contest between Stanley and Beckham for the long senatorial term. Senator Camden appears to have won the nomination for the short term with ease. Some changes in the Democratic lineup for Congressmen are indicated and Judge Hobson seems to have lost the nomination for the Court of Appeals. Not enough returns were received to fix the choice of the Republicans or Progressives for senatorial honors. Congressman Sherley won his nomination handily in the Fifth district. Stanley also carried the district.

President Wilson conferred Saturday with the managers and employees of the ninety-eight Western railroads about to become involved in a strike and asked them to agree to the plan of the Federal Mediation Board, which calls for arbitration. The employees said they were willing. The managers promised their answer Monday.

It is thought in official circles that the nomination of Attorney General McReynolds to the Supreme Court will be sent to the Senate Monday, and that Secretary Lane will be moved up in the Cabinet.

Lack of a quorum in the House Banking and Currency Committee prevented any action on the Senate proposal to issue \$500,000,000 in emergency currency at once.

Secretary McAdoo is ready to distribute the money to aid in the crop movement as soon as the banks comply with the requirements which were sent to them yesterday.

Under the new salary schedule, rural route mail carriers may draw a maximum salary of \$1,200 a year.

Pig iron sales during July were the heaviest since February, aggregating 600,000 tons.

MONDAY.

Four great Powers of Europe, Austria-Hungary, Russia, France and Germany are now engaged in actual warfare, but two of them, Germany and France, have not declared war against each other. It is reported that Germany is sending 160,000 German troops across the Grand Duchy of Luxembourg and concentrating them on the French frontier near Liege. Russia yesterday began an invasion of German territory, crossing the frontier at Schwinder. Great Britain has called out its naval reservists and made all preparations for war, but has made no declaration. Skirmishes are reported at various points between German and French and German and Russian soldiers.

With returns from nine counties still missing and reports from others incomplete, revised figures in the race for the Democratic nomination for United States Senator give J. C. W. Beckham a majority of 2,587 over A. O. Stanley. Mr. Stanley claims, on the face of returns received at his headquarters, to be running about 1,600 votes ahead of Mr. Beckham. Late returns from the Republican and Progressive contests do not change material results announced in the Courier-Journal yesterday morning.

The Aldrich-Vreeland Act has been invoked by the Administration to protect American banking interests in the crisis arising from general European hostilities. Five hundred millions of dollars are available in the Treasury, for the national banks, and \$100,000,000 already have been sent to New York for the emergency.

Diplomatic interchanges between belligerent nations in Europe will be conducted through American embassies, legations and consulates. Austria, Germany and Russia have given the United States to act. England and France have been given assurance that their interests will be cared for "in case of emergency."

Plans for relief of Americans now in Europe by the United States Government include issuance of "embassy checks." If necessary transports will be provided to bring Americans home. Secretary Bryan is at work perfecting arrangements for distributing aid through all American consulates.

Plans to prevent exportation of gold which would seriously cripple American financial institutions are being made. If Europe refuses to pay American bills in specie the United States will pay European bills with paper, according to Government authorities.

Administration officials are determined that the strict neutrality of all ports in the Philippine Islands shall be preserved. Orders to this effect will be issued in view of the probability of a naval conflict between European powers in Asiatic waters.

The better grade of Kentucky petroleum has suffered another decline and is now quoted at \$1 a barrel, compared with \$1.36 at the beginning of the year.

TUESDAY.

Great Britain announced the mobilization of her forces, and has given France assurances that the German fleet will not be permitted to attack the French coast.

It has not yet pledged itself to contribute an army to a continental war. All the great powers except Italy are mobilizing with all energy. It was officially announced that a German force has invaded France. The German Ambassador to France was given his passport last night and departed for Berlin. The Emperor of Russia in a statement called upon Russians to rise to a man and repel the attack of Germany.

The Senate and the House both passed the emergency measure unlocking more than a billion dollars of currency, and the House passed the bill waiving restrictions on American registry for foreign-built ships to assure passage of a bill appropriating \$250,000 to be used by the President to care for Americans in Europe.

Provisional President Carbajal's word to the American Government that Gen. Carranza's forces are marching south, gave rise to the belief in some quarters that the rebel chief, unwilling to grant amnesty in advance, has abandoned the peace conference plan and intends to take Mexico City by force.

Announcement that the Progressives would co-operate or even actually combine with the Republicans in some of the approaching States elections was contained in a letter received by members of the Progressive Congressional Committee from George W. Perkins.

Absent members of the House from Kentucky and other States were threatened with arrest by Speaker Clark, who declared that Congress must be continually able to assemble a quorum during the European crisis.

TUSCOLA.

J. K. Woods is building a road from his house to near the head of Little East Fork. He is building a good road and one that is very much needed. When this piece of road is completed it will leave a piece from V. B. Shortridge's dwelling on Little East Fork to the head of Spring Creek. If that was made there would be a good road from Boyd county connecting the Louisa-Webbville pike at James Prichard's not far from Tuscola. The middle piece of road should be made so the people here could have an outlet to Boyd county.

Rev. James Harvey is holding a series of meetings here and success is crowning his labors.

A large number of adults have forsaken sin, been converted and baptized and still the good work goes on. It was estimated that 500 were present Sunday and heard his wonderful exposition of the "Ten Virgins."

Using a quotation from Brown-ing, which seems appropriate, will give the reader a faint idea of the wonderful meeting. "Grave old plodders, gay young friskers, fathers, mothers, brothers, sisters." All are coming and all are interested.

Mrs. Cora Atkins still grows weaker.

Mrs. Howard Hall is still quite sick but is reported convalescing.

Misses Thelma and Hermina Taylor, who have been visiting friends here for some time, have returned to their home at Mattie, W. Va. They were accompanied by their cousin, Adal Jordan.

OLD LIM JUCKLINS.

LIABILITIES.

Capital stock paid in \$ 50 000 00

Surplus fund 20 000 00

Undivided profits, less expenses and taxes paid 5 588 75

National Bank notes outstanding 168 50

Due from State and Private Banks and Bankers 2 282 65

Banks 2 282 65

Due from approved Reserve Agents 22 718 49

Checks and other Cash Items 577 57

Notes of other National Banks 1 035 00

Fractional Paper Currency, Nickels, and Cents 180 86

Specie 18 845 00

Legal-tender notes 1 400 00

Redemption fund with U. S. Treasurer (5 per cent of circulation) 2 500 00

Due from U. S. Treasurer Total \$356 657 82

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BIG SANDY NEWS.

ESTEP.

Bro. Jarvis filled his regular appointment at this place Sunday.

Miss Bertha Towler, of Princess, is visiting her sister, Mrs. Edna Hall.

Mrs. Lindsey White and daughter, Lizzie, were visiting Mr. and Mrs. T. J. Enyart Sunday.

Misses Ethel Buckley, Myrtle Neal, Josie Chambers and Nora Elswick visited their cousin, W. E. Queen, at Louisville recently.

Mr. and Mrs. Kent Stewart spent Sunday with her mother, Mrs. Martha Lambert.

Mrs. Bettie Lockhart and grandson, Glenn Liter, of Kansas City, Mo., are spending the summer with relatives at this place.

Claude Burton, of Yatesville, passed through here one day last week.

Mrs. Mary Bostick, of Stonington, Ky., has been at the bedside of her father for the past two weeks.

T. B. Elswick is very low.

Several people from this place attended the funeral at Mt. Zion Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Crit Stewart are visiting home folks at this place.

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PROSPERITY.

The recent rain has very much revived our corn crops and pastures.

School is progressing nicely at this place.

Singing school will begin at Elm Grove Saturday morning, Aug. 8th. A large crowd is expected to attend.

Miss Nancy Roberts was the guest of Miss Ethel Wellman Saturday.

Several girls and boys from this place attended church at Oak Hill Saturday night and Sunday.

Jim Carter and Leo Berry were at Prosperity Saturday.

There will be an apron social at Elm Grove Saturday night, Aug. 8th. Everybody is invited to come.

TWO LITTLE GIRLS.

DONITHON.

Quite a crowd of young folks from Louisa and surrounding communities attended the foot-washing meeting at this place.

Death has again entered our community and took from the home of Mr. and Mrs. C. E. Pope their darling little baby, William S., aged two years. The remains were laid to rest at the Wallace graveyard.

Ance Fields has typhoid fever.

The little infant of Mr. and Mrs. Chas. Maynard is some better.

Mr. and Mrs. Carl Compton and children, of Torchlight, were visiting relatives at this place recently.

Mrs. C. H. Meredith and Miss Ethel Meredithe, of Kenova, were calling on relatives recently.

Miss Mabel Osborn, of Louisa, spent a week with relatives, Mr. and Mrs. W. Lambert, of this place.

Mr. Chas. Frazier and children, of Gay, attended the meeting here in

several girls and boys from this attended church at Needmore last day.

Either Chapman was calling on his parents here recently.

Miss Flora and Anna Derefield, of Branch, spent the last week with cousin, Josie Lambert.

Elmer and Walter Frazier returned West Virginia Saturday.

Mr. Dave Wellman spent a few days at this place with his son at Louisa.

Several from this place attended the on at the Falls Saturday.

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Thelma Maynard, of Fort Gay, visiting her brother at this place. See is attending school and vis her aunt, Mrs. Sada Stansberry, place.

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will be an ice cream festival place Saturday night, Aug. 8th, benefit of the school.

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Bess Hayes spent last week

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Raley, of Torchlight, passed up

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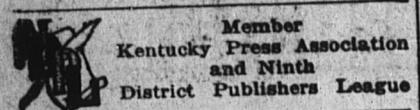
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ANNOUNCEMENTS.

We are authorized to announce JOHN M. WAUGH as a candidate for Commonwealth's Attorney of the 32nd Judicial District, subject to the action of the Democratic party in the primary of August, 1914.

We are authorized to announce H. C. SULLIVAN, of Lawrence county, as a candidate for the nomination for Commonwealth's Attorney for the 32nd Judicial district, subject to the action of the Democratic party.

G. W. CASTLE FOR COMMONWEALTH'S ATTORNEY.
G. W. Castle, of Lawrence county, announces his candidacy for the Democratic nomination for Commonwealth's Attorney for the 32nd Judicial District, primary election in August 1914, earnestly requesting the support of all Democrats of the district.

We are authorized to announce W. D. O'NEAL, JR., as a candidate for the nomination for Circuit Judge of the 32nd Judicial district, subject to the action of the Democratic primary.

If there had been a Woodrow Wilson to handle the Balkan trouble there would be no war between Austria and Servia.—Elizabethtown News.

At Allingdale, W. Va., two neighbors fought a duel to the death over a live fence. The undertaker removed both combatants but the fence remains.

Friends of the River and Harbor Appropriation bill, which has been temporarily side-tracked in the Senate for anti-trust legislation, have agreed to make a superhuman effort to pass the bill at this session of Congress, rather than leave it to the mercy of the short session which convenes the first Monday in December.

With all Europe engaged in what seems will be the bloodiest war of the ages the United States is at peace with all the world. Uncle Sam is a deeply interested but quiet looker-on, ready to arbitrate if called upon, but taking no sides. Every new day shows the wisdom of President Wilson when he declined to heed the vaporings of Jingo and the mauldering of the disgruntled.

It is reported that thousands of foreigners in America are going back to Europe to fight for their native land. It will be just as well for the United States if some of them conclude not to return to this country. Nearly all the disorders and unrest and trouble which has occurred in the mining regions and in the big cities has been caused by the foreign element. The day is coming when the United States must no longer be the slop jar of Europe.

England has declared war on Germany following the refusal of the Germans to observe the neutrality of Belgium in the conflict now raging in Europe. Germany and Austria-Hungary are now arrayed in a titanic struggle with Russia, France, Servia, and Montenegro. The other nations of Europe are mobilizing their forces rapidly, although they have not actually declared war. The feeling of unrest extends even to Japan, and the United States is now the only Power that is not liable to be involved in any way. The Germans are reported to have continued their invasion of Belgium in the march toward France. Due to the strict censorship little news of actual engagements has been obtained so far. In a speech to his Imperial Parliament Emperor William of Germany declared that he mobilized his troops with a heavy heart, but war had been forced upon his people.

All the power of the American Government, in co-operation with the financiers of the country, was used yesterday to provide relief for the Americans stranded abroad. It is now planned to send \$2,500,000 in gold from the Treasury on the cruiser Tennessee. In addition the express companies and bankers will send between six and eight million dollars abroad to their agents at the same time. The most serious problem at present is to find vessels enough to bring the Americans home.

THE MENACE OF FLIES.

Flies play an important part in the transmission of disease. They can carry a disease from one person to another, from an animal to a person, from one animal to another, or from a person to an animal. A fly can carry thousands of germs on its feet, depositing some of these on everything it touches. The majority of these germs may be harmless, but the possibility that there may be some disease germs among them is the point to be kept in mind.

Another way in which flies and other insects do a great deal of damage is by the worry they cause an animal. One fly can cause a horse or cow a great deal of annoyance. Think what a hundred flies can do. The solution of the fly question lies in the destruction of their breeding places, of which the manure pile can be taken as a good example. This would seem to suggest just one more good reason for the proper disposal of manure, which may be a breeding place not only for flies, but for other insects and different forms of bacteria, as the germs of certain diseases leave the bodies of the affected animal with the bowel discharges.

Don't allow the flies any spot in which to make a home. Clean up every particle of the manure about the premises and keep it cleaned up, by removing it every day to the fields.

WE BLUSH AS WE BOW.

Big Sandy News:
I trust the modesty of the proprietor of the prize weekly newspaper in Kentucky will not cause this article to be dumped into the waste basket, because I think it is on a subject that deserves attention.

I wonder whether or not the people of Lawrence county and the Big Sandy Valley fully appreciate the Big Sandy News. Do we realize how much it means to have published here the paper that holds the State prize for being the best country weekly paper in Kentucky? Or do we take it as a matter of small importance? We are so accustomed to have it come to us that we probably take it at as a "matter of course." I often express through this paper our satisfaction over the success of mountain people who go out into the world and win, but do we not overlook some of the accomplishments at home? Here is one enterprise that has come into competition in this contest with every similar one in the State. It has won first prize. Also, it has attained the largest circulation of any country newspaper in Kentucky, a distinction that is remarkable, when you consider that the mountains are supposed to contain so many illiterate persons.

All honor to the Big Sandy News! It has put Louisville on the map. It has helped largely to advertise Eastern Kentucky's riches. It has worked faithfully for the general uplift of the mountain people. It is Louisville's most important enterprise. From a small beginning it has forced its way steadily to the top of Kentucky's list. How few of us, probably, have ever stopped to think of the unrelenting toil and effort, long hours and heavy drudgery required to accomplish the results that have been won by the Big Sandy News. Rivals and competitors in this and other Eastern Kentucky counties have come and gone in astonishing numbers, but the NEWS comes to us with the regularity of the sun, filled "chuck full" of clean news and wholesome reading of various kinds.

I have been told that no other country office in Kentucky has such excellent mechanical equipment as the Big Sandy News. It is our duty as citizens to throw our business to this institution. The spirit of enterprise shown by its owner guarantees to us that the more business the paper gets the better and larger he will make the paper, and the larger will be its usefulness to the public.

I was awakened to the importance of this enterprise by the press heard from a stranger who travels over the country a good deal. Hence this article, which I ask you to publish as a simple matter of Justice.

MOUNTAINEER.

RURAL SCHOOL ATTENDANCE

A sanitary survey of the rural schools in Orange county, Virginia, was made and the results have been summarized in a bulletin issued by the United States Bureau of Education. A paragraph relating to school attendance reads as follows:

"The school population of Orange county is recorded at 4,008, and upon this basis State school funds are apportioned to it; but the inspectors were unable to find from the records of the schools more than 2,609 enrolled. From the face of the returns, therefore, it would seem that 1,300 children were absolutely avoiding the public schools of this county; but worse than this, the inspectors found only 1,793 present in the forty-nine schools visited. If education in rural Virginia is taken with so little seriousness by parents and children as this state of things seems to indicate, something very radical must be done to meet the situation. If 30 per cent. of the whites and 40 per cent. of the colored enrollment are absent habitually from schools having only a six months' session, the future of such communities must be socially very dubious, for the percentage of ignorance which a continuance of these conditions must bring forth will act as a clog to all progress. Perhaps the location of so many of these school buildings in uninhabited places and the absence of anything attractive either outside or inside of their walls may furnish the clue to much of the indifference."

Commenting on the foregoing statement the Courier-Journal says:

"So many of the rural schoolhouses in Kentucky are utterly without attraction that it is not to be wondered at that attendance is poor. Like the buildings described in the foregoing extract many of the Kentucky schools are located in uninhabited or out-of-the-way places. In some cases the roads are bad; in others there are no roads at all."

The forlorn little 'deserted' schoolhouses, with their lack of equipment and their unattractive surroundings are places to be avoided rather than sought. They are so numerous and so utterly inadequate to the needs of their communities that they should be abolished by consolidation wherever such a movement is practicable. Such consolidation for any reason is not deemed advisable they should be supplanted by better buildings, better located and equipped. Consolidation invariably increases rural school attendance. There is no incentive to large attendance in a school building which does not properly accommodate the district school population.

RUNNING NEWSPAPERS.

Discussing on some recent newspaper failures, the Sturgis *News-Democrat* is moved to remark:

"Even the noted Munsey of magazine fame, failed to make a big newspaper go. However, this does not deter or discourage hundreds of others without ability, experience or capital from trying it out."

There is no business wherein ability, experience and capital are more needed than in the publication of a newspaper. But did you ever stop to think how many papers are being run without these essential elements of newspaper success? It is not so easy nowadays as it used to be to start a paper without capital, but there are a few places left where this can be done. As for experience and ability—well, did you ever see a human being anywhere who didn't feel competent to run a newspaper even though he didn't know a syllable from a grab-hook?

For Fire Insurance in an Old Line Company see G. R. Burgess at the Louisville National Bank.

HENRY FORD ON PRESENT BUSINESS CONDITIONS.

Henry Ford, the multi-millionaire automobile manufacturer, whose rise in the business world is one of the most remarkable achievements of the American genius and whose ten million dollar profit-sharing plan has made him a national character, recently visited the White House and had a conference with President Wilson.

Here is what Mr. Ford said about present business conditions: "I believe and I think practically every other business man believes, that most of the evils aimed at in the President's program exist and ought to be obviated. I am convinced that it would be for the best interests of the country to pass the anti-trust legislation. I think it would have a settling effect and would aid in bringing on the extra prosperity to which the country is entitled. I hope Congress will finish the work before it adjourns."

"There is absolutely nothing wrong with business. The only trouble is that some people seem pessimistic. If everyone would only cheer up and attend to his business this calamity talk would stop immediately."

"My own business is fifty per cent better than it was last year!"

Mr. Ford also told the President that he saw no evidence of any sort of business depression, psychologically or otherwise, and that in his opinion business was getting better all the time.

LUKE McLUKE SAYS

There is a whole lot in a name Twenty years ago the section hands on the railroads wore cheap outfits known as Sand Hog and Grease Monk suits. Now the railroad officials are wearing the same thing, but they have changed the name to Polm Beach suits.

A man may have a little respect for an onery mutt who sets fire to an orphan asylum. But a guy who catches four of a kind when you are holding a pat full house is seven degrees lower than a Siwash Indian who feeds his baby on snakes.

Charity and First Aid to the Heathen should begin at home. While Mother is out collecting funds to Educate the Solomon Islanders Father will wake up and discover that his pet comb and brush are filled with Mother's hair, and Father will proceed to forget all about his Education and cuss a blue streak in seventeen South Sea dialects.

There are all sorts of people in the world, including the man who gets a lot of consolation out of the rumor that Jawn Dee Rockefeller can't eat anything.

One trouble with this world is that the folks who are most in need of advice are those who are always trying to give it away.

Who a boy hears two men speak of the Good Old Days he imagines they refer to a period when there were knot holes in the fences around the big league ball park.

A woman who thinks she is marrying for money may felizes later on that she is earning about \$6 per week for eighteen hours work per day.

What has become of the old-fashioned saloonkeepers who used to give away two pretzels with every nickel can of beer?

Our great-grandfathers get credit for our vices, but we acquire our own virtues.

We are traveling pretty fast. If you mention "The Pilgrim's Progress" to the average boy of today he would think you were talking about some new game.

One reason why Mother is stoop-shouldered from doing all the housework alone is because Daughter has to practice walking as if she were doubled up with cramps, or people wouldn't know that she had acquired the Dabutante Souch.

You can always get a woman mad by telling her that you heard her snoring. Cincinnati Enquirer.

A LETTER FROM HAWAII.

Big Sandy News:

Louisa, Ky.
Dear Sirs:—Since so many of my Big Sandy friends have requested me to write a short story of Hawaii, and as I am unable to write to each one individually, have decided to write to the NEWS with a request that it be published, provided that the space is available.

A century and nearly two score of years have passed since the existence of the Hawaiian Islands came to the knowledge of the civilized world through the discovery of Capt. Cook in 1778. He named them the Sandwich Islands in honor of the Earl of Sandwich who financed his expedition. During the past century much has been told of them and of their inhabitants, their natural beauty and tropical wealth. Friendly lips have sung their praises, and not a few pens have been dipped in the making of Hawaii's story. Today we are telling the story in a new way, with the aid of camera and canvas. Hawaii will say much for herself, for words can never picture to your minds the loveliness, beauty and grandeur woven in every scene which has earned for her the title of the "Paradise of the Pacific."

What is its people's origin? What is the origin of the Hawaiian people? From whence did they come? Were they ever cannibals? Questions such as these greet us on every side.

The origin of the Hawaiian race is really unknown. Historians of the best authority have failed to find out what will give authentic record of their earliest existence, but because of a similarity between them and the race of the South Pacific Islands, in language, appearance, custom, religion, beliefs and practices, the writers of Polynesian history have concluded that all of the Pacific Islanders have sprung from a common source.

The Hawaiians were never cannibals, though their religious traditions have sometimes called for the sacrifice of human life. They never practiced cannibalism.

Discovered by Capt. Cook.

Capt. Cook, who discovered them, was received with the utmost hospitality and reverence as a king or god. He and his crew remained several weeks among the people, accepting their gifts of feathered cloaks, fruits and food, replenishing their boats with necessary supplies, with little or no reimbursement.

A year later Capt. Cook again landed upon these hospitable shores. Again the native chiefs and subjects made

BIG SANDY NEWS.**Prices Way Down**

Beginning TUESDAY MORNING At 8:15

Here are prices that should quickly move our summer stocks. Every item is one that you can well use for several weeks.

Especially should this sale appeal to you who are going on a vacation trip. It will certainly give you more money for the trip, together with a complete wardrobe.

Women's Coats

We have divided our women's silk and wool coats in two lots and priced them for a quick clean up.

Lot No. 1—All COATS up to \$17.50 at only \$4.75

Lot No. 2—All COATS up to \$27.50 at only \$7.50

Wash Suits

If you are at all interested in a wash suit, we would like you to see these, most all sizes are here, and the assortment of colors and styles is not bad with values up to \$12.50 at only .

\$3.50

Two Very Attractive Skirt Specials

Women's and Misses' Silk Skirts, the season's approved styles, in black, navy and brown, waist sizes 22 and 24 inches, values up to \$15.00 for only .

Women's and Misses' Wash Skirts, a representative showing of the season's best fabrics; quite a variety of styles.

\$1.00 VALUES at85c
\$1.50 VALUES at	\$1.00
\$2.50 VALUES at	\$1.50
\$3.50 VALUES at	\$1.95
\$5.00 to \$7.50 VALUES at	\$2.95

Just note these savings, and they are dainty, pretty dresses, too, in sizes 2 to 6 and 6 to 14.

50c Values at39c
75c Values at49c
\$1.00 Values at69c
\$1.50 Values at99c
\$2.00 Values at	1.25c

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\$5.00 Values at

\$7.50 Values at

\$10.00 Values at

\$12.50 to \$30 Values at just 1-2 PRICE

White Lingerie Dresses For the Children**Juniors' and Misses' Colored Wash Dresses**

These should prove doubly attractive to you, mothers, because they are very desirable for school wear, the styles are good, the colors are good, and all sizes 13 to 17, and 14 to 18, with the

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BIG SANDY NEWS.

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The difference the styles assert
Twixt poverty and riches,
The poor man wears a flannel shirt,
The rich man flannel britches.

Refrigerators at Snyder's. tf-6-12

Fresh line of paint at Snyder's.

Nice lawn seats for sale at Snyder's.
George Parsons and family have moved to Ashland.

Bert Shannon and family are going to Chapman for residence.

HATS! HATS! HATS! At your own price Justice's Store. 4-17

Mr. Shank, of the Louisa mill, has been quite sick several days.

Former Sheriff John Carter has moved into the Travis property.

The Rev. L. M. Copley preached at the Three Mile church Sunday.

Mexie, the eight-year-old daughter of Mr. and Mrs. John Johns, is ill of typhoid fever.

Mrs. Brad Chaffin, of Defiance, O., Wednesday gave birth to a daughter, stillborn. The mother is doing fairly well.

J. B. Crutcher is greatly improving his already desirable residence on Lock avenue by the addition of another story.

Milt Evans and family Saturday moved into the Burns house on the corner of Lady Washington and Powhatan streets.

The NEWS acknowledges with thanks the receipt of an invitation to attend the Carter County Fair, to be held August 26-27-28-29, 1914. A fine exhibit is assured.

NOTICE TO THE PUBLIC: My wife Florence Maynard, has deserted home and I will not be responsible for any debts contracted by her. (3-8-14) M. F. MAYNARD.

WRITERS, TYPEWRITERS. TYPEWRITERS. Price from \$10.00 up. Cheap & dirt. Write for price list. E. M. HUFFMAN, Typewriter, Huntington, W. Va. 31-pd.

James Johns and Wallace Johns Saturday left for San Francisco to meet Taylor Johns, who is returning from the Philippines. They expect to return about the 15th. Mrs. Wallace Johns and little son have returned to Columbus.

You will find the most complete and up-to-date line of new summer goods and best prices that has ever been offered to the people of this vicinity, now on display at JUSTICE'S STORE, near depot. tf-8-13

Congressman W. J. Fields has a child at his home at Olive Hill very ill with typhoid fever. While Mr. Fields was hearing the returns and learning of his overwhelming majority in the primaries on last Saturday, he was at the bedside of the little one.

With the close of Mr. Hughes' administration Mrs. Josephine Rice's services as assistant in the postoffice came to a close. Her work was entirely satisfactory to the department and to the public and she will be missed by the patrons of the office.

The work of laying a concrete pavement from A. J. Garred's office, around the Brunswick corner and up Madison street to Jefferson, is under way. It's too bad, of course, but riders and drivers who try to see just how close they can get to the sidewalk when turning the hotel corner will, for a short time at least, be compelled to take a longer turn.

The following relatives and friends ate dinner and supper guests of Mr. and Mrs. R. C. McClure Wednesday: Mrs. C. C. Beaver, Mrs. J. W. Valentine, Mrs. H. W. Bloss and Mrs. O. G. Bran, of Huntington, and Miss Helen Galbraith, of Seymour, Ind. The last named is the daughter of Mrs. Mollie Galbraith, who is a daughter of the late Mr. and Mrs. Mart Graham.

is reported that through trains from South Carolina to Cincinnati, via Big Sandy Valley, will be put on time in September. The new from Danie, Va., to Elkhorn, through the Breaks of Sandy, is practically completed. This is the Clinch line and it is understood they have made an agreement with the C. & O. through business. It is said passenger trains will stop only at county seat towns, and will make good time.

promises to be the greatest in history of the world is now in progress in Europe. On one side is Servia, Russia, France and Germany, and possibly Italy. The smaller countries also are expected to line up on one side or the other.

Practically all ocean commerce has been suspended. The United States government is going to the rescue of some hundred thousand of our men who are in those countries trying to get home or to get their freedom.

The deadly battles have already begun and thousands slain. A few ships have been sunk and some great battles are expected to follow soon.

Wilson has offered to act as mediator in an effort to stop the human catastrophe. The people of this country pray that his offer may be successful.

A large Atkinson Friday went to Ashland to visit her brother, Frank

CANAL WILL GET IMMENSE TRAFFIC.

Washington, July 31.—The Panama Canal, which will be open to commerce in another two weeks, is destined at the outset to become strategic highway of the world if the present hostilities between Austria-Hungary and Serbia develop into a general conflict involving the other great European Powers.

Treaty stipulation provides that the canal, like the Suez Canal, "shall be free and open to the vessels of commerce and of war of all nations," and "shall never be blockaded, nor shall any right of war be exercised or any act of hostility be committed within it."

The liability of search would be a hazard to Suez and Mediterranean commerce if the present war clouds burst, and it was pointed out that commercial activities might be more and more curtailed as the parties to the conflict defined more and more sharply the commodities to be included in contraband of war. It was suggested here that a large part of the Suez commerce might be diverted to Panama.

While the vessels of war as well as of commerce of belligerents may freely use the canal, exact rules have been devised to maintain the strictest neutrality of the waterway. The transit of war vessels must be made with the least possible delay, and with only such intermissions as may result from the necessities of the service. No belligerent may "embark or disembark troops, munitions of war or warlike materials in the canal, except in case of accidental hindrance of the transit, and in such case the transit shall be resumed with all possible dispatch."

The treaty provisions prohibiting any act of hostility in the canal precludes any war vessel from exercising the right of search on a commercial vessel in transit through the waterway, and this provision likewise protects all ships within three marine miles of either terminal.

CRIMSON CLOVER; HOW AND WHEN TO SOW IT.

A good many farmers of the State are contemplating sowing crimson clover this year. The crop can be successfully grown in Kentucky without a doubt, if the proper precautions are taken to make conditions such that the seed will germinate promptly. Following is a list of suggestions and precautions which it will be well for all those intending to try a crop this year to observe:

Do not plant in corn or cultivated crops of any kind unless there is abundant moisture at the time of seeding.

When planting alone, prepare a good seed bed. A good seed bed is one that is fine and made firm by rolling.

Cover the seed carefully. Every seed not covered will probably be lost. Do not cover too deeply, however, or the seed may not get up. A clover seed drill is splendid for sowing crimson clover seed.

Do not sow later than the first of September and preferably by the middle of August.

Get good seed. Buy it by sample and test it for germination. Plant 100 seed in a box of clean sand and keep the sand moist. If less than 90 seed grow, refuse to buy the seed.

Do not pasture too close in the fall, nor too late. If you do it will certainly winter kill.

Do not plant on a poor, thin piece of land without first fertilizing. In most cases an application of 200 pounds of acid phosphate per acre will be a satisfactory treatment.

Do not plant on wet, poorly drained land. No clover will grow on such land.

VACATION TRIPS ON THE GREAT LAKES.

Summer vacation travel on the Great Lakes is now in full swing, and the volume of tourist travel attracted to the lake routes by the splendid equipment of the passenger lines and for the cool and restful lake trips is even larger than in former seasons.

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All railroad tickets reading between Cleveland and Buffalo are good for transportation on C. & B. Line Steamers, and no one should miss the opportunity of using the lake route during the hot summer months. (adv.)

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EXAMINATION FOR COUNTY ROAD ENGINEER.

For the benefit of those who wish to qualify for the position of County Road Engineer, examinations will be held at the following places on the dates mentioned, beginning at 8:30 a. m., examination to be held in the court house, information as to the exact room can be secured from the County Judge or County Clerk:

Catlettsburg, August 20th.

Paintsville, August 21st.

The examination is held in compliance with section 39, Chapter 80, Acts of 1914, which reads as follows:

"There is hereby created in the several counties of the State of Kentucky the office of County Road Engineer. The County Judge of each of the counties of this State by and with the consent of the Fiscal Court may within thirty days after this law becomes operative, on or before the first day of October, 1914, and every two years thereafter, appoint a County Road Engineer, who shall be either a reputable civil engineer or a man who has had practical experience as a road supervisor or builder for two years and who shall have passed a creditable examination by the State Commissioner of Public Roads or one of his representatives."

Examination.

The applicants for the position of County Road Engineer will be examined on the following subjects: Theory and Practice of Road Building; Drainage; Grades; Earth Computations; Use and Care of Road Machinery; Maintenance of Earth and Macadam Roads; and upon such other subjects relating to road problems as the Commissioner of Public Roads may deem to be of vital importance.

The examination will be written, and when the papers are graded, certificates will be issued to those successfully passing, which will entitle the holder to be considered by the County Judge as eligible for the appointment so far as his educational qualifications are concerned, but the County Judge will be responsible for determining the length of the services of his appointee and as to his general qualifications.

The Legislators realized that while it was advisable to secure Engineers to handle the road work of the various counties, that it was not practicable to force the counties to employ Engineers, because of the high salaries they are able to command, and the scarcity of technically trained men to handle this position. Once they provided for a practical road man, who should take the examination before the Commissioner of Public Roads.

Each County Judge of the State is urged to cooperate with the State Commissioner in securing eligibles from which the County Judge may make his appointments.

Reputable Engineers will not be required to take the examination for the office of County Road Engineer. The County Judge will be responsible for the qualifications of any Engineer who is employed upon his reputation as a Civil Engineer. It is recommended that Civil Engineers be employed where they are available.

R. C. TERRELL, Commissioner.

IMPORTANT ANNOUNCEMENT TO MERCHANTS AND BUYERS:

Mr. C. L. Johnson, sales manager for southeastern division, Ely & Walker Dry Goods Co., St. Louis, manufacturing wholesalers owning and operating twelve factories, and carrying the largest open stock of imported merchandise in the West, has just completed a two weeks' trip through West Virginia and Eastern Kentucky, with C. O. McDougle, general salesman for this territory, and was greatly pleased with the reception given him by the merchants and buyers. He was favorably impressed with the wonderful possibilities for business in these great coal fields.

Mr. Johnson has arranged to furnish a sleeper leaving Bluefield on train No. 15 August 16th, for accommodation of buyers to visit St. Louis markets. Sleeper will also be run through on C. & O. from Huntington August 30th. Every courtesy possible in the way of transportation and the entertainment of visitors will be offered. Buyers desiring to make this trip can advise C. O. McDougle, care Frederick hotel, Huntington, W. Va., who will be in charge of the party and do everything possible to make the trip both pleasant and profitable.

EAST POINT.

Misses Edna and Ruth Conley, of Hager Hill, and their cousins, Misses Fannie and Lucy Prater, of Magoffin county, were the pleasant guests of Mrs. J. C. B. Auxier last week.

Mrs. Vergie Hollifield, who has been for over 100 days very low with fever, is improving.

Bros. Green Allen and Ernest Mullins, of Van Lear, preached on Little Paint and at East Point Saturday and Sunday, and baptized one.

Born to Hasadore Robinson and wife a son.

Mrs. Julia Fitzpatrick visited her daughter Eula at Paintsville last week.

Mrs. Augusta Auxier, of Edinburg, Ind., visited at J. S. Kelley's, S. R. Auxier's, Dr. Archer's and J. C. B. Auxier's recently.

Ballard May and wife visited J. D. Auxier's Sunday.

Our school opened today with Prof. Witten, Miss Lucy Picklesimer and Henry Burke as teachers.

Two men, B. H. Littler and brother, from Oll Springs, were killed at the Mary Luck mine today. It is supposed that they had gone back to see about a shot which had failed to go off. Ben Littler leaves young wife, one child about two years old, and twin girls about one month old.

A. E. M.

Washington, July 25.—There were 109,021,992 persons living within the territory embraced by the United States on July 1, 1914, according to a bulletin containing the estimates of population for the years subsequent to the thirteenth census, made in 1910, prepared under the supervision of C. S. Sloane, geographer of the Department of Commerce, and issued yesterday.

The population of Kentucky, is given at 2,350,731.

Miss Bertha Conley went to East Point Thursday to visit home people.

PERSONAL MENTION.

Dana O'Neal visited friends at Wayne Sunday.

Dr. Bromley made a professional trip to Inez Sunday.

M. F. Castle, of Peach Orchard, was in Louisa Monday.

Jack Ratcliff, of Huntington, was in this city recently.

Elliott Arnett, of Spaulding, W. Va., was here on Friday last.

Brig. Harris, of Catlettsburg, was here a few hours Thursday.

Miss Florence Bradley is here from Cincinnati visiting her brothers.

Dr. Heman Fulker, of Big Sandy Junction, was in Louisa Thursday.

John Wade and wife, of Paintsville, are visiting relatives in this city.

Mrs. Milt Elderman, of Ashland, visited Mrs. M. G. Berry last week.

Miss Grace Remmle returned Tuesday from a visit in Holden, W. Va.

Mrs. Nathan Day has returned from a visit with relatives in Mt. Sterling.

Carl Walters Friday went to Louisville to see his mother, who is sick.

Rev. and Mrs. A. M. Dial, of Louisa, are visiting friends in Catlettsburg.

Mrs. J. W. Burgess, of Huntington, is visiting her son, Dr. T. D. Burgess.

Miss Hazel McIntosh, of Ashland, was a recent guest of Miss Bess Ward.

John S. Marcum, prominent Huntington attorney, was here a short time Saturday.

Miss Eva Wellman has gone to visit friends and relatives in Pikeville and Paintsville.

Miss Louise Arnold, of Columbus, is visiting the family of her brother, L. S. Johnson.

Mrs. F. L. Stewart and Mrs. D. C. Spencer were shopping in Ashland on Wednesday.

Mrs. J. L. Carey and little daughter, Katherine, were shopping in Huntington Monday.

Mrs. Ralph Gentry and little daughter have gone to pass a few weeks in Franklin, Ind.

Edgar Lowry and family Wednesday returned from Ronceverte and White Sulphur, W. Va.

Mrs. Fisher and Miss Nellie Fisher, of Ashland, were recent guests of the R. T. Burns family.

Mrs. J. C. Layne, of Huntington, attended the funeral of her brother, Mr. James W. Shannon.

A. D. Bradley was here from Kenova Saturday, returning from a visit to his mother at Yatesville.

Mrs. Jean Spencer has returned from Wayne, W. Va., after a few days' visit to Mrs. Fischer Scaggs.

Mrs. Lockwood, of Lockwood station, was the guest of her sister, Mrs. J. H. O'Brien, last week.

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WEST VIRGINIA ITEMS OF NEWS.

W. Va. Coal and Coke Shipments.

Charleston, W. Va., August 3.—T. D. Hobart, general coal freight agent of the Norfolk & Western railway, has just issued a statement of the shipments of coal and coke over his lines for the month of June, and for the first six months of the year. The statement shows a gain of 218,025 tons for June, 1914, over June 1913, and an increase of 82,895 tons for the first six months of this year over the same period of 1913. Should the present trouble between Servia and Austro-Hungarian Empire result in a prolonged war, in which all the first-class powers of Europe are involved, better times than ever are in store for the miners in the smokeless fields of West Virginia. In the first place there will be room for additional men in the smokeless fields. This opportunity for employment will be caused by the fact that several hundred subjects of the dual monarchy now employed in the mines in these fields, are members of the Austrian Reserve and they will have to go back to their own country to take their places in their several regiments.

Terrific Rain Storm on Guyan.

The most terrific rain storm of the season visited this section last Sunday and in a few hours caused thousands of dollars worth of damage to private and railroad property. Creeks were raised as if by magic and in a number of instances outbuildings were wrecked, fences carried away and chicken houses submerged and poultry drowned. The Guyan river at this point was so swollen and filled with drift and logs that fording it was a hazardous task, especially with light vehicles. The raise was about two feet in two hours. Probably the largest individual sufferer from the flood was Joseph Perry, whose property in

Elected Principal of Kenova School.

Prof. J. B. Artrip, who has held the principalship of the Fort Gay schools for several years, has been elected principal of the Kenova schools, to fill the vacancy caused by the resignation of John Y. York, Jr. Mr. Artrip has taught successfully for twenty-three years, mostly in West Virginia. He held a position in the Louis Normal one year and one year in the Normal school at Morehead, Ky. We congratulate the school board of Kenova upon their selection of him and predict that under his management their schools will make rapid advancement.—Wayne News.

Filed \$40 For Stealing Dress.

Charged with stealing a silk poplin dress from the store of the Logan Mercantile Co., Mrs. Lillie Sydner, aged 19, was arrested in Huntington the first of the week and brought back here for trial. At a hearing the evidence was all against her despite her plea that a clerk in the store had given her the dress, and she was found guilty and fined \$10 and costs, amounting in all to about \$40. The fine was fixed in lieu of a jail sentence, which could not be imposed upon her from the fact that she carried a nursing baby.—Logan Democrat.

Killed By Falling Log.

Joseph Vance, aged 45, foreman at the Cole & Crane works at Craneco, and who was well and favorably known all through this section, was instantly killed on Wednesday morning by being crushed beneath a falling log. Mr. Vance was married and leaves a family.—Logan Democrat.



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COMBATANTS IN EUROPE'S WAR

(Courier-Journal)

Servia is a mountainous country a little less than half the area of Kentucky. The population is slightly larger than Kentucky, and is mainly made up of Servians, although there is a sprinkling of Roumanians and gypsies. The Carpathian and Balkan ranges and the Dinaric Alps make the country rather difficult for large bodies of invading troops and favor small bodies of native soldiery acquainted with the territory and popularly supported.

The Servians are an agricultural people, depending largely upon the sheltered valleys and plains which yield generously while a rigorous climate exists in the mountains. Despite Government efforts to correct the defect there is practically no manufacturing in Servia, and while the larder can be kept well filled so long as the land is not devastated the Servians are dependent upon help from beyond the borders for the machinery of war.

The Servians are poor. Their revenue is somewhat under \$15,000,000 a year. But they are frugal and the public debt has remained below the \$100,000,000 mark. Modern warfare is enormously expensive and quickly sends the national debt of a small agricultural country beyond the danger mark.

The thinness of the veneer of civilization in Servia is fairly reflected by the manner in which way was made for the present King to ascend the throne.

King Alexander's marriage with Draga Maschin, a lady-in-waiting twelve years his senior, did not please the Servian ministry and the ministry resigned. The people registered no objection to what the ministry regarded as an unsuitable match and the populace lustily cheered the bridle party.

But three years after the marriage, which was celebrated in 1900, a band of conspirators, or their hirelings, entered the palace and murdered the King and Queen and several other members of the royal household. The Servian statesmen who hatched the plot had previously made an arrangement with the pretender to the throne, Prince Peter Karageorgevitch, who was residing at Geneva.

It is, of course, denied that he sanctioned the means proposed, and his adherents hold that he did not know of any specific plot to clear the throne for his coming, but was willing to harken to the call of his country should a vacancy occur.

At any rate the present King of Servia owes his elevation to one of the most savage crimes of modern history which could have been arranged as it was arranged only in a country whose leading men have the ethics of the statesmen of ancient Persia. King Peter was an old man when he secured the throne.

His first son's dissipation and disagreeable personal qualities made him an impossible heir apparent, and he stepped aside in favor of his younger brother, who has recently been occupying the throne in the absence of his father who had been popularly believed to have abdicated under consideration because of a wish to spend his declining years in care-free private life.

Bosnia and Herzegovina, the annexation of which has been a thorn in the side of Servia since it was accomplished a few years ago, were of Servia.

Bosnia was the extreme northwestern province of Turkey-in-Europe, comprising both Bosnia proper and Herzegovina as well as parts of Turkish Croatia and Dalmatia. It was bounded on the north by the River Save, which, with the Danube, separates Servia from Hungary. The eastern boundary of Bosnia was Servia, and the southern boundary Albania and Montenegro. It was occupied by Austrian troops under the terms of the Treaty of Berlin, drafted in 1878, to be administered by the Austrian Government for an indefinite time.

Bosnia proper is nearly as large as Servia. It is inhabited chiefly by Bosniaks who are Mohammedans, and partly by Servians and Croats. Herzegovina is a mountainous section covering about 700 square miles. It contains only about 250,000 souls. Bosnia as taken by King Stephen of Servia in the Fourteenth century, but it had experienced both independence and Turkish dominance when an Austrian military governor was placed in charge of it.

The annexation of the two Turkish "vilayets" in which Servia had an interest followed the common course of events in world history after the Treaty of Berlin placed Austria in undisputed possession of the territory's affairs.

The capital of Bosnia is Sarajevo, otherwise known as Serajevo, where Grand Duke Ferdinand and the Grand Duchess were assassinated by a Servian of anti-annexation sympathies. Arms are to a limited extent made in Sarajevo, and there are iron mines near by, but the equipment for manufacture is probably too small to be of consequence in modern warfare.

The total area of Austria-Hungary is 240,000 square miles as against less than 20,000 square miles within Servia's boundaries. Even in proportion to area Austria-Hungary is much richer than Servia. Its manufactures alone run to \$500,000,000 a year as against almost nothing in Servia. The empire has more than 20,000 miles of railway. There are less than 400 miles in Servia. The revenue of Austria-Hungary is nearly 3,000,000,000 crowns. The expenditures are less than the income. In the unequal contest with Servia, if the contest should remain confined to the two countries now involved, the cost of war would be a pittance to Austria where it would be ruinous to Servia.

Austria has been described as "no more than a geographical expression," a description applied some time ago to Italy, but since proved to be false.

There is no Austrian language, nationalities are bound in a political

compact. Germans, Czechs, Poles, Ruthenians, Slovanes, Italians and a few Servians and Croats inhabit Austria.

The Magyars form a powerful and compact element in the other partner in the dual empire, and are a fiercely patriotic one-third of the total population. They refuse to adopt the German language and sedulously cultivate Magyar civilization, customs and national spirit. The Magyars are regarded as the backbone of the empire and as the immovable frontier obstacle to Slav aggression in Europe, behind which stands the German Empire.

The Austro-Hungarian combination is essentially a military empire. Military service is obligatory upon all citizens between 20 and 42 who are capable of bearing arms, and the period of individual service is twelve years. This gives the empire a standing army of more than 350,000 on a peace footing and nearly 2,000,000 on a war footing. Although Austria has a very short coast line the development of the Italian navy caused the empire to enter into competition, and the fleet is made up of fast and well equipped units, manned by admirably trained officers and men.

While the battle is not always to the strong, a war between Austria and Servia so long as it is confined to Austria and Servia seems one-sided to admit of much speculation as to results. Should it develop into a combat between the Teuton and the Slev the struggle will be titanic.

CAUSES AND POSSIBILITIES OF IMBROGLIO IN THE EAST.

The Causes.

Servia's dream of centuries for a port on the Adriatic was about to be accomplished in the recent Balkan war when Austria-Hungary shattered it and also forced the Montenegrins to retreat from Cetari.

What intensified the hatred of Austria that has been in the heart of Servians for 600 years and which was again expressed in the recent assassination of Archduke Ferdinand, heir to the Austria-Hungarian throne, and his wife.

That assassination was the match to the magazine and Austria is apparently ready to fight for her desire of many centuries—control of the Balkan peninsula to the Aegean sea.

The Possibilities.

Russia has proclaimed herself the protector of Servia and of Roumania. By conquering Servia, Austria and her ally, Germany, would reach the Aegean sea, and thus hamper the southern Russian ports and commerce. Roumania is Russia's buffer State.

If Russia aids Servia—and already her army is mobilizing—this would call upon Germany and Italy, as parties to the Triple Alliance, to send their armies and navies against Russia in the aid of their ally, Austria-Hungary.

Then, as members of the Triple Entente between Russia, France and England, France and England may be compelled to aid Russia.

Thus there would be of the six great powers of Europe, Germany, Austria-Hungary and Italy on one side and Russia, England and France on the other.

France, at least its army, is apparently eager for the contest, seeking to regain lost Alsace and Lorraine and to avenge the war of 1871.

England, which has much to lose and little to gain, is biding every energy to prevent a general European war.

Bulgaria may be expected to aid the dual monarchy to avenge the wrongs which she believed she suffered just after the war with Turkey, when Servia attacked her and forced her to surrender most of what her army had won. Turkey is counted upon to aid Austria-Hungary while Greece, to prevent her annihilation by the southwest progress of Austria-Hungary will also support Servia and the Pan-Slavists.

Servia also counts on the rising tide of Pan-Slavism within the dual monarchy. And, outside of the active aid of Russia, the little kingdom is relying much on the reported indigence of the Austria-Hungary treaty.

FACTS ABOUT THE TWO BELLIGERENT NATIONS.

Servia.

Serbs, a Slavic tribe, invaded the present Servia—637.

Converted to Christianity—900.

Went under Turkish rule—1459.

Got independence—1877.

Proclaimed a kingdom—1882.

Population—3,000,000.

Area—18,649 square miles.

Capital—Belgrade.

Standing army—195,000 men.

Navy—None.

Ruler—Crown Prince Regent Alexander.

Austria.

Austria's wars began in 14 B. C. when the Romans conquered the Noric.

The Hapsburg imperial family has reigned in Austria since 1825.

Area—241,513 square miles.

Population—45,405,267.

Standing army—810,000 men.

Capital—Vienna.

Navy—114 ships.

Ruler—Francis Joseph, emperor.

EVERGREEN.

There will be a pie social at this place Saturday night, August the 15th every body come girls bring the pies and the boys bring your pocket books it is for the benefit of the school.

School at this place is progressing nicely with Allen Miller teacher.

Aunt Mary Thompson is very ill at this writing.

Lindsay Cyrus and Miss Mae Hicks were out driving Sunday last.

Jim Carter was calling on Olive Hicks Thursday.

Mrs. Lon Burton and Mrs. A. L. Burton of Louisa are at the bedside of their Mother Mrs. Thompson.

Remember the pie mite. NED.

A CARD OF THANKS.

We wish to express our sincere thanks to the many friends whose love, sympathy, and service were so freely given during the illness of our husband and father. Special recognition is due Mrs. Docie Jordan, whose skilled hands and faithful nursing rendered his closing days as comfortable as loving care could make them.

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The dress may be costly and beautiful but it does not impress him if the wearer is full of conceit and vanity. Sorry, indeed, will be the day when a man makes his estimate of a woman from the clothes she has on, and fails to see those immortal qualities of mind and heart which constitute the true woman. The mere expression of vanity in a woman is not hopeful, is not prophetic of happy homes or a noble citizenship.

THE GLORY OF OLD AGE.

There is glory in old age when it is the sunset time of a Christian life. There are springs of daily refreshment of which the world does not know. There are still opportunities for kind service. God leads our dear old friends all the day. They have traveled farther than most of us along the road that leads heavenward and in many instances have reached that point where with the spiritually quickened vision, they can almost penetrate the thin veil which hides what lies beyond. To them heaven is a very close thing, and Jesus is a real savior and friend, is the opinion of the Christian Herald. So they look forward not with doubt or misgiving, but with joy, to the reunion in the "good land" hereafter, with those who have already passed over. Let us not hold lightly the counsel of these veterans, who can look back over many a struggle and temptation which they have conquered but which we have yet to meet. Let us love and honor them while they are with us and comfort them in every way. We hold them with us a little while as hostages from heaven, where they belong.

IF YOU WANT TO BE LOVED.

Don't find fault.

Don't contradict people, even if you are sure you are right.

Don't be inquisitive about the affairs of even your most intimate friend.

Don't underrate anything because you don't possess it.

Don't believe everybody else in the world is happier than you.

Don't conclude that you have never had any opportunities in life.

Don't believe the evil you hear.

Don't repeat gossip, even if it does interest the crowd.

Don't go untidy on the plea that everybody knows you.

Don't be rude to your inferiors in social position.

Don't overdress or underdress.

Don't jeer at anybody's religious belief.

Don't try to be anything but a gentle woman; and that means a woman who has consideration for the whole world, and whose life is governed by the golden rule, "Do unto others as you would be done by."

The person that has wiped wet eyes, moistened arched tongues, put a new star in the sky of a dark life, added beauty and bloom, the song of birds and the blossoms of flowers to the lot of another is—whether he be rich or poor, known or unknown, bond or free—one of God's nobility.

Childish laughter is the echo of heavenly music.

GALLUP.

The officials of the Sunday School Board recently organized a Teachers' Training Class and also established a Cradle Roll Department.

Miss Vera Moore, of Ashland, is visiting her aunt, Mrs. J. P. McClure.

Misses Willie Jane Burgess, Rebecca and Nancy Garred and brother Ulysses spent Sunday with Bell Shivel.

Don C. Belcher and family spent the week-end with relatives at Griffith's Creek.

The contractors for the bridge to be constructed across Contrary were forced to abandon work owing to back-water from the dam.

The Gallup schools, under auspices of D. C. Belcher and Elizabeth Lester, began with an enrollment of ninety pupils.

Edgar McClure, who was thought to have appendicitis, is improving rapidly and is now with his family at Mrs. Laura Childers.

Mrs. James Perry is seriously ill.

Mrs. Richard Belcher spent Saturday with Louisa friends.

Gene McClure has erected a tennis court at his home and has had a number of visitors to engage in the enjoyable sport. The most recent are Miss Florence Ensor, of Huntington, and Lizzie and John Burgess, of Kise.

The Jones Bros. have moved from Galloway to Peach Orchard.

Miss Nannie Dobbins, of Louisa, is visiting her grandmother at this place.

Misses Bell Shivel and Derecca McClure are visiting Mr. and Mrs. G. W. Crutchfield, of Jenkins.

The Ladies' Aid met with Mrs. Andrew Shannon this week. The afternoon was spent sewing carpet strings.

ANONYMOUS.

HANNAH.

The stork visited the home of Mr. and Mrs. Marlan Sparks Thursday and left a fine boy.

Miss Dova Rice, of Falsburg, is visiting friends and relatives at this place.

Mayo Young was calling on Miss Blanche Williams Sunday.

Bascom Whitt was calling on Miss Susan Griffith Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Willie Hale were the guests of friends at this place last week.

Willie Holbrook, of Martha, was calling on his cousin, Miss Eva Holbrook, Sunday.

Our school is progressing nicely with Eugene Moore teacher.

Robert Barker was calling on Miss Alma Boggs Sunday.

Quite a number of young folks from Cherokee attended the foot-washing at Cains Creek Sunday.

Here are some things said by the Rev. Trent on "The Relation of the Pastor to the Sunday School." A pastor is in a great measure a shepherd, serving in a great sense as the Great Shepherd, whose duty it is to see that his flock is properly cared for all the time. Therefore he must be interested in whatever pertains to the education and spiritual uplift of those under his control. The Sunday School is the teaching service and training department of the church. It is not apart from the church nor just a part of it; it is the church engaged in the teach-

ing and study of God's Word in such a way as to win souls for Christ, build them up in Christ, and train them for a life of service for Christ. Then it is the duty of the pastor to see that the church meets the conditions necessary to the success of the Sunday School. The pastor should not take in any way the place of the Superintendent or teacher, but should help them to do their work better by his competency to lead, and his leadership consists in the training of officers and teachers, as they demand efficiency as well as consecration. It consists too, in popularizing the Sunday School in the community. Eighty-five per cent of church membership comes from the Sunday School and ninety-five per cent of the ministers, fifty-two per cent of the Christians are converted before sixteen years old, eighty-four per cent before twenty, and ninety-six per cent before twenty-four.

Mr. W. J. Vaughan conducted a Round Table, and this is his answer to one of the questions—the Big Boy. Have an efficient teacher; discuss the things in the lesson in which the young men are interested; become interested in them personally and let them know it; encourage the spirit of fellowship among them.

Song, "Why Not Now," was sung by choir and the benediction pronounced by the Rev. French Rice.

Evening Session.

Evening service opened with Scripture reading and prayer by the Rev. Dial and the song, "All Hail Emmanuel," by choir.

Miss Maud L. Dance told the "Story of Livingstone" in such an interesting manner that one could almost imagine he could see Livingstone enduring all those hardships and sacrificing all that most of us call pleasure for Christ and the heathen people, when he was a foreign missionary. You should have been there and heard it. When we think of how he and other missionaries sacrifice surely we will be more willing to sacrifice just a little more.

Mr. Vaughan explained to convention why the schools were asked to contribute to this work and what the money was used for. Miss Dance then asked the congregation to spend a few minutes in silent prayer and then give such an offering as their hearts directed them to give. They did so and gave a fair offering.

Mrs. Keith sang a solo and the choir sang "Sail On." You should have heard it.

Thursday Morning Session.

The second and last day opened with instrumental music by Mr. Trent. Solo by Miss Emma Wallace, "Jesus Will Take Care of You." Prayer by the Rev. Hicks. Song, "Jesus is all the World to Me," by choir.

Mr. Vaughan told many interesting things about the International Convention held at Chicago in June. Some of which were: that 2524 delegates were registered besides many who were not registered, but present; that 175,685 Sunday Schools were embraced in this convention with 18,441,000 pupils; more than 400 speakers were present and spoke.

Following the song, "Help Somebody Today," Miss Dance talked upon "The Teacher." These were some of the things she said a teacher must do to be successful: must be reverent and trained; must remove all distractions; must be well prepared on lesson; must present it in right manner, and draw a conclusion about it. In preparation get facts and historical settings. If elementary teacher must be able to tell a story well and use story method.

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In the Elementary Conference by Miss Dance she said the "Cradle Roll" is the greatest factor to get people into the Sunday School of any other, because if you get the baby you get the parents. The training in worship is as important in this class, or more so, than the lesson, and training in the offering is quite important and should not be neglected. Don't teach them to just give pennies. Sing a missionary song just before taking the offering in order to teach them to give.

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EMMA THOMPSON, Sec.

Report of Committees.

The following is the report of committees:

The Nominating Committee respectfully reports as follows:

For President—M. S. Burns.

For Vice-President—A. O. Carter.

For Secretaries, jointly Miss Emma Thompson and Mr. B. J. Calloway. Miss Thompson to be the recorder and historian of the Association, and Mr. Calloway to be field secretary.

Superintendents of Departments:

Elementary—Miss Jennie Bromley.

Secondary Division—Doch Jordan.

Adult—C. B. Wellman.

Education—Prof. E. M. Kennison.

Visitation—Mrs. Lora Childers.

Organization—W. T. Cain.

Missions—Mrs. R. L. Vinson.

Temperance—R. C. McClure.

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PIKE COUNTY NEWS

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Mail your composition to Mr. Phelps, or hand it to him personally, but do not wait until the news is stale. Follow these rules carefully and editor, correspondent and reader can all be mutually helpful.

CUPID IN PIKE.

Following is a list of marriage certificates issued by the County Court Clerk's office at Pikeville for the past ten days.

Robt. L. May, age 18, to Beatrice Frank, 16, Stone, Ky.

Reuben Wallace, 24, to Phoenia Akers, 19, Myra, Ky.

Tom Johnson, 44, to Lena Johnson, 44, Melvin, Ky.

Reuben Childers, 18, to Ella Ratliff, 17, Hellier.

Leonard Tackitt, 19, to Mary Jane Tackitt, 18, Hartley.

Chas. M. Layne, 33, to Anna Lee Justice, 19, Pikeville.

Floyd Blackburn, 17, to Effie Justice, McCombs, Ky.

Epp Slove, 23, to Bettie Varny, 18, Raccoon, Ky.

MISS SANDUSKY DELAYED.

Miss Roberta Sandusky, formerly one of the corps of teachers at Pikeville College, who was to have arrived at Pikeville last Saturday, was delayed by the illness of her sister at Lexington.

Miss Sandusky will open her Domestic Science and Plain Sewing Class in the kitchen of the Presbyterian Church August 11th, instead of August 4th, as formerly planned. These courses are the same as those given at the State University, and all the young ladies of the city are invited to be present at the opening of the class to hear the first lesson, as the guests of Miss Sandusky.

CAMPBELL JUSTIFIED.

An article appeared in these columns from Prestonsburg last week, in which the writer unjustly criticizes County Superintendent M. F. Campbell, of Pikeville, for refusing to order the building of several small school houses at various places in the county.

This is Mr. Campbell's reason: It was formerly the custom in this State to split large school districts in two, and to build as many small schools in the county as possible, for the convenience of children in the rural districts. But experience has proven this an unwise idea, as stated by Prof. T. J. Coates, of Frankfort, who taught the last Institute here in July. It is the modern idea to consolidate schools and school districts. This was fully discussed in a former article in this paper. For this reason, and the additional reason that the school fund was

well nigh exhausted, Mr. Campbell felt that he was justified in refusing numerous requests for these smaller schools.

OLD-TIME SPELLING.

As a result of a challenge sent to the girls of the Sunday School of the M. E. Church South by the boys on Sunday, July 26th, an old-time spelling match was held at the church Tuesday night, to test who were the best spellers, the boys or the girls. The girls won.

The old blue-back spelling book was used, and G. W. Pinson acted as "schoolmaster," and Prof. T. J. Kendrick as referee. James Renfro, teacher of the boys' class, was captain of the boys' side, and H. M. Hoskins, teacher of the girls' class, was captain of the girls' lineup.

Mr. Webber, a Cincinnati architect, did the best spelling on the side of the young men, but Miss Mary Auxier and others finally spelled him down.

NO TYPHOID.

Pikeville and Pike county are today nearer immune from typhoid, the summer scourge, and other ailments this season than probably ever before. Physicians say there is but one case of typhoid within the limits of the city at the present time, and very few cases of it are to be found in the entire county, and a lower percentage of sickness generally than in many previous years.

Paved streets and the exertions of the City Board of Health are principally responsible, with the aid of the dry weather, for the present unusually perfect health conditions at Pikeville.

PRIOR RESULTS.

The primary election held here last Saturday was attended with great public interest. At the close of the day reports were slow in coming in, and it was not until late Sunday that a definite line could be drawn on the situation. Beckham received about 50 majority in the county, Willson about 25, Camden about 1400, and Fitzpatrick 340. The exact figures in the two Pikeville precincts were as follows:

North Pikeville.

Democrat—Beckham received 50 votes, McCleary 75, and Stanley 6 in the race for the long term.

In the Democratic race for the short term Camden 93, Smith 5, and B. H.

Young 13.
Republican—Ernst received 42 votes, Willson 100, and McLaughlin 1, in the long term race.

In the short term race Fitzpatrick received 70 and Bullitt 31.

Progressive—Vance 3, Jolly 1.

South Pikeville.

Democratic—Beckham 49, McCleary 56, Stanley 1, in the race for the long term.

Short term—Camden 84, Young 8, Smith 3.

Republican—Ernst 61, Willson 47, McLaughlin 4.

Short term—Fitzpatrick 51, Bullitt 38.

SUNDAY SCHOOL CONVENTIONS.

A Sunday School convention representing all the churches of Pike county will be held at Pikeville Friday and Saturday, Sept. 4th and 5th, and a picnic will also be given to the visitors by the Pikeville churches on Saturday.

Before this union convention can be held, four sub-conventions must first be held in the county, one at Zebulon, on Coon; one at Coal Run; one at Yeager, on Shelby Creek, and one at Elkhorn City. Three of these have already been held. Preparations are being made for the greatest Sunday School event in the history of Pike county. Two delegates to represent each church are selected at the sub-conventions, and these with a party of friends will attend the mass convention here in September. The convention will be held in the M. E. Church South.

HOTEL CHANGES HANDS.

The Williamson hotel, formerly operated by J. M. Damron, was leased to Sheriff George M. Mullins by the owners last Wednesday. The hotel, which was formerly the old Hibbard Williamson house, will be managed by Luther Mullins, son of the sheriff, and his wife, who expect to operate a modern and up-to-date hotel.

POSTAL DELIVERY COMING.

Mayor I. M. Williams has spent several days canvassing the city, as directed by the council, to ascertain the number of figures and other necessities required before the postal delivery service can be inaugurated. Both the Mayor and Council are doing their utmost to get this needed improvement into operation as soon as possible, and this will be a most creditable monument for their administration.

LOCAL AND PERSONAL.

The picnic and ball game between teams made up of married and single men on the campus of Pikeville College last Thursday were great successes. Rarely has it been the pleasure of Pikeville people to see so many delicacies prepared in such pleasing manner as were spread the entire length of the portico in front of Hendrick Hall. This had nothing of the appearance of hard times.

Rev. I. N. Fannin returned last week from a business trip of several days to Huntington.

Judge J. M. Roberson spent last Tuesday, Wednesday and Thursday on the eastern border of Pike county making speeches in the interest of Gov. McCrory's race.

Attorney W. W. Reynolds returned last Thursday from a professional visit to Beaver Creek in Floyd county.

Rev. Wade Rowe attended picnics held at Coal Run and Yeager last week.

Mrs. W. H. McCulloch and two little sons arrived at Pikeville last Friday, and they will make their future home in this city.

Eugene Davis, who is now working with the Marrowbone shifter from Shelbiana, spent Sunday in Pikeville.

The second team of Pikeville went to Island Creek Saturday to play the local team at that place in the afternoon. The Pikeville boys had the better of the game by long odds until the close of the game, when the Island Creek boys scored heavily, and the game closed with one point in their favor.

Miss Eva Wellman, of Louisa, arrived here last Sunday evening to be the guest of her brother Len and wife for a few days.

C. T. Rule and H. C. Arnett, of Paintsville, were business callers here during the first art of the week.

Glen Ferrell, of Louisa, has been here for several days recently.

George Hatfield and Henry Smith, of Williamson, were business visitors to Pikeville this week.

The Green automobile, Willie Call driving, stuck fast in the quicksand while trying to ford the Sandy river last Sunday, and a mule had to be hitched to it to bring it ashore.

Mrs. W. H. Justice, of Catlettsburg, arrived at Pikeville last Sunday evening on her way to visit friends and relatives at her former home in the country above Pikeville.

Ira W. See spent Sunday with home folks at Louisa.

Miss Caryl Yeager returned last evening from an extended visit with her sister, Mrs. Joe Sinnot, at Borderland, W. Va. Mrs. Sinnot accompanied her home.

Walter Davis and Miss O'Boyle spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. J. E. Buckingham.

Miss Thelma Meek, of Thelma, Ky., was in town Monday shopping.

H. La Viers, manager of the North-East Coal Company, is at Auxier on business for the company.

Misses Mildred Powell, Irene La Viers and Messrs. H. La Viers, R. C. Thomas, Wm. Merwin, C. T. Rule, Ed Conley and Francis Rice spent the afternoon Saturday in a delightful game of tennis on the La Viers court. Several sets were played and Miss La Viers and Mr. Conley won, with Miss Powell and Mr. Rule as close seconds.

Saturday evening a crowd of young folks laden with marshmallows and matches made their way to the salt well just out of Grabnickle and spent a delightful hour or two toasting marshmallows and telling stories. The party was made up of Misses Irene La Viers, Edna Hager, Loretta Prindle, Margaret Auxier, Eva Rice, Mildred Powell, Eva Wellman and Jennie Spradlin and Russell Hager, Ed Conley, Heber Wheatley, Frank Cooper, Gail Price, Martin Wheeler and Mr. Norton and Mr. Lafferty.

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H. M. Hoskins and James Hoskins, the Kimball Piano salesmen and local distributors, have moved their office into the Thornsby building, adjoining the Kate D. Hatcher millinery store. They were formerly located in the First National Bank building.

Mrs. James Dent and daughter, Miss Delta Mae, of Ashland, are the guests of Mr. and Mrs. Walter Walker at their home on Fourth street this week. James Peery, C. & O. fireman, was the guest of his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Thos. W. Peery, at their home on Second street Monday.

Ruben Anderson, the "big man" of Shely Creek, was in town Monday. Attorney W. D. Blair, of Prestonsburg, was here professionally this week.

Police Court was in session at its regular August term for the trial of civil cases Tuesday.

Alex Spradlin, of Prestonsburg, and J. C. B. Auxier, of East Point, two experienced coal men of Floyd and Johnson counties, were here looking over the Pike county coal opportunities, with a possible view to investment Tuesday.

Grover Whitman, who has been spending a few days of his vacation with parents here, has returned to his work with the Yellow Poplar Lumber Co. in Virginia, just above Elkhorn City.

Mr. R. R. Barton, of Catlettsburg, was here stopping at a local hotel last Monday.

DOINGS OF JOHNSON COUNTY PEOPLE.

News From Paintsville and the Surrounding Country.

Miss Eva Wellman, of Louisa, is here the pleasant guest of Miss Jennie Fern Spradlin.

Heber Wheatley, of Aden, Ky., is here the guest of home folks.

Mrs. James Layne and children, of Prestonsburg, are here visiting her mother, Mrs. Amanda Wheatley.

Edgar Phipps, of the Standard Oil Co., Ashland, was a business visitor here this week.

Washington Wheeler, of Oil Springs, visited his brother Jasper here this week.

John Ramey has had his laundry completed and the first whistle blew Thursday morning. This improvement will be a great help for Paintsville.

John F. Sagraves, of Huntington, is here this week a business visitor.

Miss Julien Stapleton, of Oil Springs, was the guest of Miss Josie Ward this week.

Rev. and Mrs. Dial, of Louisa, are here this week where the Reverend will fill his appointment at the Christian Church Sunday.

Rev. J. C. Kilgo, of Durham, N. C., and Dr. U. V. W. Darlington, of the Morris Harvey College, Barbourville, W. Va., were here Friday and Saturday.

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Work has begun on the M. E. Church which is to be a handsome building when finished.

Miss Mildred Powell was a business visitor at Thealka Friday.

James Akers, of Van Lear, was a business visitor here Saturday.

Prof. J. T. Dorsey has returned from Whitesburg, where he attended the teachers' institute.

Mrs. D. D. Kennard has returned from a visit with her son at Inez.

Dr. O. N. Wilson is able to be out again after a severe attack of rheumatism.

Miss Stella Atkinson is visiting relatives in northern Ohio.

Miss Elizabeth Easterling spent the week-end with Miss Virginia Stratton, at Thelma.

Misses Maude and Blanche Ward spent Sunday with their sister, Mrs. Levi Peters, at Louisa.

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